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Inventor(s): Thane M. Larson et al.  
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Respectfully submitted,

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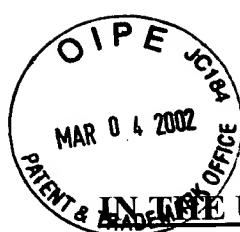
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend claims 9, 15, and 18 as follows:

1. A server system comprising:  
a plurality of printed circuit assemblies;  
a server management card coupled to the plurality of printed circuit assemblies for monitoring and managing operation of the server system, the server management card receiving and storing status information from the plurality of printed circuit assemblies; and  
a first LCD panel mounted on the server system and coupled to the server management card, the first LCD panel providing a user interface for configuring the server management card and accessing and manipulating the stored status information from the server management card.
  
2. The server system of claim 1, wherein the first LCD panel includes an LCD display, and a plurality of alphanumeric keys for entering alphanumeric information.
  
3. The server system of claim 2, wherein the first LCD panel further includes a plurality of navigation keys for navigating through menus displayed on the LCD display.

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